

Room Nine Tidbits

November 3, 2015

Weekly Objectives

Action Points:

- Please review the high frequency words at home this week. We will giving all students the High Frequency Word Evaluation between November 2-16.

First Grade Families,

Please continue to reinforce prior English Language Arts objectives such as correct spelling of short vowel words and correct use of capitalization and punctuation in sentences.

Weekly Objectives are:

- Reading/Language Arts — Long O with Silent E— Comparing the sounds of short and long /o/

Comparing declarative and interrogative sentences

Main Idea and Supporting Details in Pictures, Short Stories and Books

- Math — Unit 3—Patterns Students will find and extend skip counting patterns using Frames and Arrows diagrams and tell time to the half hour.
- Science — Sound Energy— Students will describe a sound's pitch (high or low) and volume (loud or quiet).
- Social Studies — Decision Making—Types of Voting (voice, ballot, show

of hands, division of the house) — public vs. private methods of voting

Looking forward to a great week!

Ms. Brown



Dates to Remember:

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| International Festival | 11/7 |
| PTO Meeting— 6:30 PM | 11/10 |
| Book Fair Kickoff Dinner—6:00 PM | 11/16 |
| Early Dismissal— 12:30 PM | 11/18 |
| Grandparents' Day—1st Grade | 11/19 |
| Thanksgiving Holiday—NO SCHOOL | 11/25-11/27 |

Clorox Wipes

This has been a tough year at Kolter for illness. We have been trying to keep healthy in our classroom by sanitizing desks and manipulatives frequently with Clorox, Lysol or other anti-bacterial wipes.

Unfortunately, we have almost used up our year's supply. **If you are able to donate Sanitizer or Clorox wipes to our classroom, they would be put to good use and very much appreciated!**

Passport Global Interview

As part of the Passport Global program, we will be recognizing and celebrating students' cultures in our classroom. The goal is to create self-confident students who not only take pride in sharing their own culture but also become curious about the cultural backgrounds of their peers.

We will be sending home a Cultural Holiday interview on Wednesday. Please help your child answer the questions about a holiday you celebrate as a family. It can be any holiday from any culture that is celebrated at any time of the year.

We will not have additional homework Wednesday or Thursday nights.